IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Inventor: Shinichi WADA Art Unit 2627

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RULE 312 AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

A first action Notice of Allowance issued on January 9, 2008, with an Examiner's amendment. Please further amend this application as follows: